FRIDAY......May 12, 1876.

Special Notice.-We shall not, cannot, in future, answer letters of inquiry written to us by parties desirous of settling in Oregon, un-less such letters of inquiry contain at least the amount of stamps necessary to pay postage on the return letter. For 2) cents we will for-ward four copies of THE ASTORIAN, of separ-ate dates, to any address in the United States,

ADVERTISE—An exchange says: Maybe you think that people don't like to read advertisements! If you do you are much mistaken. Fresh, well-put well-placed advertisements are news! They are welcomed. read—nay, studied! The newspaper that is alive with them is increasingly acceptable and so is the business house that knows how to get them up, possessed withal with the sagacity and nerve to keep them up.

Take Your Local Paper.—A man in Marion county last week saved \$150 by taking his local paper, the Mercury, and there is a man in this county, near Brownsville, who told us, a short time ago, that he had made an 80-acre tract of land by being a reader of the Demo-erat. He had been wanting for a long time to buy an 80, adjoining his farm, but could get no track of the owner, who was a non-resident of the State, and finally saw it advertised for tax sale in the Democrat. He attended the sale and bought it for a nominal sum, and is now the owner of it,—Albany Democrat.

Warning to Delinquent Suescribers.—A Russian paper announces that a belief in the approaching end of the world has seized on approaching end of the world has seized on the Cossacks of the Don. Many, especially aged people, are giving up wordly affairs, wearing a shroud, and ordering their coffins. On every road are men repairing to Moscow to be conscerated priests, in order that the smallest village may have its own priest and church. The Russian paper fails to state whether its delinquent subscribers have taken the scare and paid up. That to our mind would be stronger evidence of the approach of the Millennium than any thing that a superstitious Cossack could advance.

Don't Read Adventusements.—Occasionally a business man is encountered who professes to believe that "people don't read advertisements any how!" A greater mistake is seldom made. If a typographical error creeps into an ad. it soon becomes the talk of the neighborhood, and if the people do not read ads. how do they 'drop' on errors with such facility? The other day the advertisement of the Centennial Restaurant appeared, in which the Centennial Restaurant appeared, in which the word "cating" was set up "fating," where-upon we were duly notified of the error by seven Salinasites and one Chinaman, and last-ly, the Monterey Herald felt in duty bound to notify us also.—Daily Recorder, Salinas City, California

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE."—This is true in every department of business, and no one appreciates its truth more fully than S. H. Thompson. Some time since he received the Agency, for this county, of the Cunningham "Garden City Clipper Plow," and immediately advertised the same in our paper. Green B. Smith, Esq., a patron of the Gazette, saw the advertisement and forthwith rushed to Thompson's and purchased four of these celebrated plows—which at once have sprung into nonular favor. No mater how good and valu--brated plows—which at once have sprung into popular favor. No mater how good and valuable an article may be, a merchant or dealer may keep it upon his shelves, or in his store for months, or even years, and but tew will know anything of its good qualities, unless he advertises. For years Mr. Thompson carried on business here, and spent but little for advertising. Within the past two years his business has increased nearly double, and he attributes it to judicious advertising. If you attributes it to judicious advertising. If you want to thrive in business, ADVERTISE-Cor-

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D. C. IRELAND, En. ASTORIAN,

Astoria, Oregon.

## Particular Notice.

Advertisements intended for insertion in THE ASTORIAN, should be handed in on Thurs-day afternoon, invariably, to insure their in-sertion the following Saturday.

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FOR THE BEST AND THE LATEST styles of spring Hats go to Van Dusen's who has just received a fine assortment. Stf

FIELD, FLOWER AND GARDEN seeds, Oregon and California, in full supply, fresh and nice at I. W. Case's.

BILLS OF LADING, WAY BILLS, Receipts, and all kinds of Commercial Printing, done at the Astorian office.

ATER-PROOF SHIPPING-Tags Printed at the Astorian Office.

### CITY ADVERTISING.

### ASS STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed pro-posals will be received by the undersigned, under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the improvement of that portion of CASS Street, lying between Chenamus street and Astor street, by wharfing, grading and planking, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of Saturday May 20th, 1876, said improvement to be completed by September 1st, 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 121, passed the Council May 1st, 1876. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved. HENRY MILLER,

Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon May 2d, 1876.

## MONCOMLY STREET IMPROVE-

MENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned, under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the improvement of CONCOMLY Street in said town, by grading and planking said street, from Main street to the west line of the town plat, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of Frank J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of May 20th, 1876, said improvement to be completed by Sept. 1st, 1876, as provided by Ordinance No. 121, passed the Council May 1st, 1876. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved. HENRY MILLER,

Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

### THENAMUS STREET IMPROVE-MENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria for the improvement of that part of CHE-NAMUS Street, lying between Main and Spruce streets, by grading to conform as near as practicable to the crossings as already constructed on said street and also by the building of a sidewalk on the south side of said street from Jackson to Madison streets, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of Satur-day May 20th, 1876, said improvement to be completed by September 1st, 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 121, passed the Council May 1st, 1876.

The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved.

HENRY MILLER. Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

### SQUEMOQHA STREET IM-PROVEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the improvement of SQUEMOQHA Street by grading and planking said street from Cass street to Main street, and by the building of a sidewalk on the south side of said SQUEMOQHA street from the east line of lot No. two (2) in block No. twenty-seven (27) to Polk street, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of May 20th, 1876, said i aprove-ments to be completed by the 1-t day of June 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 121, passed the Council May 1st, 1876. HENRY MILLER,

Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

## MAIN STREET IMPROVE-

Notice Is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the under-signed, under instructions from the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the improvement of that part of MAIN Street, lying between Concomly and Court streets, by grading and planking the same and also to have the sidewalks the grades, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of Saturday May 20th, 1876, said improvement to be completed by September 1st, 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 120, passed the Council May 1st, 1876. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved.

HENRY MILLER. Street Commissioner. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

DENTON STREET IMPROVE-D MENT.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned under instructions of the Common Council of the town of Astoria, for the con-struction of a sewer on the east side of Benton street, from Court street to the Columbia river, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of F. J. Taylor, Recorder, until noon of Saturday May, 20, 1876, said improvement to be completed by September 1st. 1876, as provided by ordinance No. 121, passed the Council May 1st, 1876.

The right to reject any or all bids is

hereby reverved. HENRY MILLER. Astoria, Oregon, May 2d, 1876.

OR SALE.

The Engine belonging to Astoria Fire Company No. 1, For further particulars inquire of the Committee on Public Property.

By order of the Common Council. FRANK J. TAYLOR, Recorder. FRESH SUPPLY OF 2 and 3 PLY

Cloths, Window Shades, for sale at Portland prices by

I. W. Case.

NICE ASSORTMENT OF JEW-A ciry—Watch guards in various styles at Case's.

### POLITICAL.

### Democratic Ticket.

Presidential Electors: H. KLIPPEL, of Jackson. E. A. CRONIN. of Multnomah, W. B. LASWELL, of Grant.

For Congress: LaFAYETTE LANE, of Douglass.

For District Attorney: F. R. STRONG, of Multnomah.

# County Ticket.

Joint Representative: R. W. WILSON, of Tillamook.

Sheriff:

THOMAS DEALEY.

Clerk: D. W. LOWELL.

Assessor: W. L. WORTHINGTON.

> Treasurer: A. VAN DUSEN.

Commissioners: JOHN LOOMIS. JOHN HOBSON.

School Superintendent: Rev. T. A. HYLAND.

Surveyor: LEWIS HARTWICK.

> Coroner: Dr. S. W. DODD.

Astoria Precinct.

Justice of the Peace. P. H. FOX. Constable. Wm. OLIVER.

BUSINESS CARDS.

## DR. S. W. DODD.

### PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

Astoria, Oregon, opposite Custom House.

J. Q. A. BOWLBY.

ATTORNEY AT LAW, ASTORIA, OREGON.

F. J. TAYLOR.

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Room No. 5, Brown's Building.

VAN DUSEN.

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Seasoned Lumber Always on Hand. be promptly attended to.

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New Goods by every Steamer.
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## Astoria Bakery,

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HAVING LEASED THE PREMISES FOR II a term of years, at the foot of Washington street, we beg leave to announce to the public that we are now prepared for

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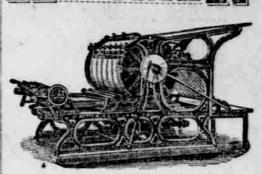
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The Lowest Living Price are Charged. Printing by hand, Printing by steam,

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But what we can do. Printing of car-notes

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